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NOMINEES SOUGHT FOR SERVICE TO BEAVERTON AWARDS

Do You Know Someone Who Should be Recognized for Service to Beaverton?

Beaverton, **Oregon (March 30, 2009)** – The City of Beaverton, in partnership with the Beaverton Area Chamber of Commerce, is currently seeking nominees for the 2009 Service to Beaverton Awards. You're invited to nominate individual residents, local businesses, service organizations and/or Neighborhood Association Committees that have exhibited outstanding community service in Beaverton. The Service to Beaverton Award recipients will be honored during a volunteer recognition night dinner on May 13 and featured in Beaverton's Celebration Parade on September 19. Nomination forms are due by 4 p.m. on Friday, April 17, 2009.

"So many Beaverton residents devote their time and talent to make our city a better place," said Mayor Denny Doyle. "The Service to Beaverton Award gives us the opportunity to recognize and thank them for their accomplishments and contributions to our community.

Service to Beaverton Award recipients will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Implementing and/or assisting in the implementation of outstanding projects and/or services; AND
- Enriching and revitalizing our community and neighborhoods; AND
- Demonstrating responsiveness, creativity and civic values.

Previous winners of the Service to Beaverton Award have exhibited outstanding service to the community through committee participation, collecting food and clothing for the needy, neighborhood "slow down" initiatives, fund raising drives for local service organizations, recruitment of volunteers for events, scholarships for local teens and support for schools.

Nomination forms are available on the City's web site at www.BeavertonOregon.gov. For more information or to request a form by phone, please call Lani Parr in the Neighborhood Program Office at (503) 526-2243 or send an e-mail to neighbormail@ci.beaverton.or.us.

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